

Feb. 1 1941
55 Somerset St.
Newark N.J.

Mr. James Waters
Mr. Fredrick Hobgood
1001 Tower Hill Road
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Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of your letter of Jan. 16th. In it you asked for a chance to tryout with The Newark Eagles. The information you sent about yourselves is very complete, and would make any one think you were too very promising prospects.

You spoke of Mr. Charles Leonard being in a position to recommend you. If you will get Mr Leonard to write me directly and recommend you I will consider taking you to camp. You must realize I receive many letters from young players who would like a tryout with the team. It would be impossible to take every one who writes and asks for a trial. However when they are recommended by some one who we know and who we think is capable of judging the ability of a player, we are glad to try the prospect out.

Answer me right away, and let me know if you contacted Mr. Leonard and asked him to write me.

Very Truly Yours

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